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MECKLENBURG PROVIDES BEST FOR ITS CHILDREN

This Presbytery Displaces Kings Mountain Which Led In 1940-1941.— Other Facts

Mecklenburg Presbytery made the best provision for children at Barium Springs from that area in 1940-1941 than any other of the nine Presbyteries in the North Carolina Synod. Because of this distinction, Mecklenburg Presbytery displaced Kings Mountain, which had the honor of providing best in 1939-1940. Kings Mountain is now third and Concord is second. This is based on the number of children in the Home from each Presbytery as they were related to the amount received from each territory.

This is a different kind of tabulation than the "Table of Receipts" that appears in The Messenger monthly. This latter is based upon the amount given as it relates to the church membership in each Presbytery. However, the constituency in each Presbytery can know from the ratings prepared for the July issue of the paper how well it is taking care of its own children.

Mecklenburg, Orange, Kings Mountain and Concord Presbyteries were above the average per child for the entire Synod, while Granville, Winston-Salem, Fayetteville, Wilmington and Albemarle were below the average in that respective order. If your Presbytery was below the average sum given for each child here, then it means that some other Presbytery in the Synod is helping to take care of the children at Barium Springs from your area.

Here's how the Presbyteries have lined up in taking care of their own children for the past three years:

Presbytery	'38-39	'39-'40	'40-'41
Mecklenburg	1st	2nd	1st
Orange	2nd	4th	2nd
Kings Mtn.	5th	1st	3rd
Concord	3rd	3rd	4th
Granville	4th	5th	5th
Winston-Salem	6th	6th	6th
Fayetteville	8th	7th	7th
Wilmington	9th	9th	8th
Albemarle	7th	8th	9th

In per capita giving Winston-Salem Presbytery is almost universally the leader each month for the entire fiscal period. It is mighty fine that the members in that Presbytery have the largest amount given on the basis of membership, but in taking care of its own boys and girls it rates in sixth place. In comparison with the per capita donations this new alignment with the children as a basis finds quite a few differences. These are reflected in the tabu-

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First Graders Who Have Started Their Educational Careers

Memorial Gifts Total $1,592.75 In Last Year

This Is Quite A Contrast To $78.00 Sent As This Type of Contribution in 1932-1933

So widespread has become the practice of individuals, organizations, and business firms in sending memorial contributions to the Presbyterian Orphans' Home at Barium Springs that the total of this type of contribution has climbed from $78.00 in 1932-1933 to $1,592.75 in 1940-1941. In the nine years since 1932-1933, a grand total of $5,446.26 has been sent to Barium Springs, the greater majority of the donations averaging $3.00 to $5.00, though some were less than $3.00 and some larger than $5.00.

The $5,446.26 memorial sum does not include any $100.00 or $200.00 amounts given to furnish rooms in the new cottages at Barium Springs, nor does it include $375.00 that was given to the Home for memorial windows in Little Joe's Church. Those were specific designations of memorial amounts and were placed in a separate category. If those were added in, the aggregate would be nearer $8,200.00. Furthermore

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Ernest Milton, Treasurer,
Presbyterian Orphans' Home,
Barium Springs, N. C.

Dear Mr. Milton:

Enclosed you will find $ ..... in memory of:

Name of Deceased — City

Age — Date of Death — Lingering or Sudden ?

Survivor to Be Written — Address

Relationship of Survivor to Deceased — Number of Other Near Relatives

Name .....

Address .....

Home-Coming

Attention is again being called to the alumni of Barium Springs about the impending Home-Coming on August 28th and about the availability of Camp Fellowship on the Catawba River for the alumni during the week that begins August 25th. Notifications of intention to visit Barium Springs for Home-Coming Day and reservations for a week at the camp should be sent to Miss Lucile Burney, Barium Springs, who is secretary of the Barium Springs Alumni Association. The maximum cost of a week at Camp Fellowship will be $10.00, with that amount being scaled down according to the number who attend.

Camp Fellowship Is In Full Operation

Camp Fellowship, a gift of the Men's Club of the Second Presbyterian Church in Charlotte a few years ago, is now in full swing for the 1941 schedule that includes parties at the camp for 11 consecutive weeks. Barium Springs uses it for five weeks, but outside organizations have access to it for the other six weeks that it is open. This is the camp that is located 8.2 miles from the office at Barium Springs and on the Catawba River. The last campers in August of 1940 had to vacate it in a hurry because of high waters, but the buildings were undamaged and the raging stream left no ill effects.

Readers of The Messenger who have looked at the cottage news before reading this article already know that Barium has utilized the camp one week, for the young-

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6,000 Cans and 6,000 Lbs. Sugar Ordered

July and August Will Be Busy Months When Surpluses Are Laid Aside

Orders for 6,000 gallon cans and for 6,000 pounds of sugar were given in May in anticipatiion of a heavy canning season at Barium Springs this summer when all surplus food products will be stored away for winter consumption. Price advances were anticipated in both cans and sugar and this expected increase has been verified recently. These were delivered to

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List of Thirty Donors of Furnishings Given

Only Two Bedrooms Available to Be Furnished With $100 Sums.—Total Is $3,400.00

The number of rooms available as memorials and to be furnished out of the generosity and goodness of friends is fast dwindling, for only two bedrooms remained in early July to be provided for with $100.00 amounts. The June Messenger said three were unfurnished, but since that time Mrs. Rhodes Guffey, of Salisbury, has sent a $100.00 gift to Barium Springs in memory of her brother, Mathew Hugh Steele.

Thus, four $200.00 sums have been received here for the living rooms and obligations have been made for 26 of the 28 bedrooms with $100.00 amounts either already in hand and to be sent soon. That is an aggregate of $3,400.00 for furnishings, and the other two bedrooms will probably be taken soon.

Bronze tablets for the brick wall over each mantel in the four living rooms have been ordered and plates for the bedrooms. A supplementary order will be given when obligations for the other two bedrooms have been assumed.

Below will be found a complete list of individuals and organizations providing either living room or bedroom furnishings, this information being prepared in the office at Barium Springs on July 7th:

Living Rooms

In memory of her daughter, Julian Baxter Cramer, by Mrs. Stuart W. Cramer, Jr., of Charlotte.

In memory of her son, Parks Eddleman, by the late Mrs. H. M. Eddleman, of Gastonia.

In memory of her husband, Robert Goodloe Sloan, by Mrs. Margaret W. Sloan, of Greensboro.

In memory of Rev. W. S. Wilson, D. D., by the Mooresville First Church.

Bedrooms

In memory of her parents, by Mrs. Helen Brown Coble, of Burlington, a Barium alumnae.

In memory of her husband, Judge E. B. Cline, by Mrs. E. B. Cline, of Hickory.

In memory of his parents, by George F. Corl, of Concord.

In memory of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Neely Dickson, by Mrs. R. W. McCarter, of Gastonia.

In memory of her husband, by Mrs. J. H. Dickson, of Gastonia.

In memory of Edgar E. Sellars,

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SUNDAY SCHOOLS SCALE NEW HEIGHTS 1940-1941

A Total of 283 Sunday Schools Had Some Part, Most of Them As Once-a-Monthers

A total of 283 Sunday Schools in the North Carolina Synod had some part in the establishment of a new all-time high-water mark in regular giving to the Presbyterian Orphans' Home in 1940-1941. Not all of those 283 followed a month-by month plan of aiding Barium Springs. Some of them allotted fifth Sunday remembrances to the Home while still others are listed in the 283 because at some time during the year a special sum was received from the entire organization or some Bible Class, such as memorial gifts. The majority, by far, gave an offering each month, though.

During the past year a grand total of $20,383.84 regularly arrived, the aggregate excluding Thanksgiving Offerings and gifts to the clothing fund by Sunday Schools. It is estimated here that if all Sunday Schools of the Synod that were financially able to do so would include the Home for an offering each month that the grand total from that source would almost double. This estimate is based upon the knowledge that some of the largest Sunday Schools in Synod do not follow this plan of month-by-month assistance.

A revealing fact, too, is that the month-by-month giving of the Sunday Schools represented 44.4% This is simply a statement to cor- of the regular income received at Barium Springs from the North Carolina Synod during 1940-1941. roborate a feeling here that the Sunday School responses are indispensable in the operation of the Presbyterian Orphans' Home. For the first eight months, the percentage of receipts from Sunday Schools is even larger than for the entire 12 months, since the bulk of all donations - regular and otherwise - come in the closing four months of any fiscal period, the church budget gifts being larger in the latter part of the year than in early months.

The adoption of the Offering-per-month plan by any Sunday School is in accordance with recommendations of the North Carolina Synod - recommendations that have been re-iterated from time to time by that body in annual session. Some Sunday School members can hardly remember when the plan was first instituted because of the length of time it has been in operation. There are several treasurers in the Synod today which have been sending an Offering each month to Barium Springs for a period of 30

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June's Receipts From Synod Are Below Par

Since the Quarter Ended A Decided Pickup in Income Is the Hope Here

Perhaps the less said about the income from Synod during the month of June, the better. It was disconcerting and discouraging to receive an income from Presbyterian friends last month that was $523.90 less than the total welcomed here in June of 1940. A few decreased like that and a revision in the budget of the Home would have to be made for the entire fiscal period of 1941-1942.

Fortunately, though, Synod was ahead at the close of May, the increase in the first two months being sufficiently large to enable the announcement of a net gain of $359.16 in Synod's giving at the close of the first quarter.

Maybe better things are ahead in July. The first quarter has been concluded and many churches and organizations report gifts to Barium Springs on a quarterly basis. Perhaps the quarterly allotments

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"I give and begueath to the REGENTS OF THE ORPHANS' HOME OF THE PRESBYTERIAN SYNOD OF NORTH CAROLINA, *Incorporated Under the laws of the state of North Carolina,* (HERE NAME THE BEQUEST)

If you have a Presbyterian friend who doesn't receive The Barium Messenger in his or her home, kindly send the name to us on a postal card and it will be a pleasure to add it to the current mailing list of approximately 25,000 names.

Have you seen the new cottages at Barium Springs? And the new printing office and shoe shop building? If you haven't, a treat is in store for you. It is also a treat to the boys living in those cottages and to the printing and shoe shop group to be occupying new structures.

Alumni Home-Coming Day this summer is August 28th. There will be a second Home-Coming date in the fall. The former is a new venture, and it will be interesting to see if the attendance this year will warrent a double-feature Home-Coming each year.

Governor Broughton has never indicated which Thursday he would proclaim as Thanksgiving Day in 1941, but since President Roosevelt has decided that the old-time date will again be in vogue, beginning in 1942, we would like very much to see the North Carolina Governor designate the last Thursday in November this year, and thus keep unbroken the custom of the usually accepted date for giving thanks for the old North State.

Believe it or not, preparations for the 1941 Thanksgiving Offerings are already in progress at Barium Springs. A tabulation has been prepared on the 1939 and 1940 Thanksgiving responses of each individual church, the best Offering of each church in the past 16 Thanksgiving seasons, and the year in which that peak sum was given. Before the summer is over an order will also be placed for 100,000 Thanksgiving Offering envelopes to be used this fall.

Congratulations are certainly due those 75 churches which reached new all-time peaks in their gifts to Barium Springs in 1940-1941; felicitations are offered those 270 churches that gave more in 1940-1941 than was contributed in 1939-1940; the 71 Sunday Schools advancing to their highest realms of regular giving last year come in for a portion of our congratulations, and 61 Sunday Schools occupying seats in the $100.00 Club last year are to be commended.

It's going to cost us a lot more to operate the Home at Barium Springs in 1941-1942 than it did in 1940-1941. Take the one item of coal alone. We have been notified of a price advance of twenty-five cents a ton. The minimum consumption here in a year's time is 800 tons, and that one price advance alone means an additional $250.00 for that commodity. If you take in other increases all along the line, then you readily see that the increased cost will be considerable in a year's duration.

Quite a few graduates of the Home here are doing their bit in Uncle Sam's Army, Navy and Air Corps. The majority of the boys who have been to Davidson College took the advanced Reserve Officers' Training, and therefore hold commissions in the R. O. T. C. reserve. A number of these have already been called up for service and others have volunteered. The Navy had a number of recent volunteers from graduates of the past few years. The career of each individual will be watched with interest by those who remain at the Home here.

Testimony still comes to us from time to time from Sunday Schools which are having happy experiences in giving an Offering each month to the Home at Barium Springs. It follows the general refrain that more money is available for other purposes, even though 12 responses during the year are given to work here. The Barium gift is usually the largest of any donation in the month, but the other contributions show a decided pickup. Not only is Barium Springs being aided substantially on a systematic basis, but a generation of regular contributors to the Home is being reared.

There is no diminishing of appreciation in the hearts of Barium people to the four individuals who generously gave $36,000.00 for the construction of four buildings at Barium and to the ladies of the Synodical who contributed money for another building. (The total arriving through Synodical's treasurer was $12,505.83, of which $500.00 was given for the preliminary expenses and $700.00 specially labeled for the furnishings for seven bedrooms giving a net of $11,305.83 donated by the Synodical as a unit for their structure.) The heating plant for the quadrangle is in Synodical's building.

It has been great to receive voluntary sums for the furnishing of the rooms in the new cottages at Barium Springs. The manner in which these donations have arrived since they first started in the spring of 1940 has been of immeasurable encouragement to us. No soliciting has been done for this furnishing money. The Messenger, though, has been valuable in keeping the trend of these special gifts before our friends, who have seen what others were doing and wanted to have a part, too. This is but one of the many reasons why we think our little Barium Messenger is so valuable.

In adopting a budget for 1941-1942, the Board of Regents estimated that Barium Springs would receive $3,500.00 more from Synod in 1941-1942 than was contributed in 1940-1941. One reason for this increased estimate was that Synod would meet here in September, and a renewing of interest on the part of ministers and elders will inevitably follow. Another reason is that this is the semi-centennial year for Barium Springs and it was felt that Presbyterian friends would want to help in the celebration by making larger contributions to the Home. It is believed by the Regents that this will be particularly true during the Thanksgiving season.

A visitor to Barium Springs made a very significant and pleasing remark after a tour of the campus was nearing a completion. "I can understand now," said this party, "a statement that was recently made to the effect that you can't fully appreciate Barium Springs until you make a visit there and 'feel' it." Not only do you "feel" the atmosphere of our Home, but you certainly get an intimate glimpse of its inner workings when you honor us by your presence. If you haven't been to see us, we hope you will. In recent years thousands of people have been on the campus, and the custom of making pilgrimages to the Home is ever on the increase. We are pleased that this is true.

News from Some of the Cottages and Departments at Barium

WOMAN'S BUILDING

The past has been an eventful month at our building. More than half of our number have been away on vacations. Those of us who remained have not been idle you can well imagine. In fact there has been hardly time enough to do all the things that we wished to do. Our leisure time has been filled with tennis, ping-pong and horse-shoe pitching. For those who like to hike there has been ample opportunity to take trips. On one occasion we had a grand treat — a free ride on the train from Trouman to Barium. Now that the woods are filled with berries waiting to be picked the lure has been even greater to walk than it is usually.

Friday was the fourth of July and naturally we celebrated — who didn't? We had a jolly time in our own backyard. We enjoyed a filling supper of weiners and potato salad. Food always tastes better out under a tree — at least so we believe. To entertain our guests we had a ping-pong tournament in which almost everyone took a part. After toasting marshmallows we were driven in by the rain. A fortunate accident because we had loads of fun in our living room with games of various types. At nine o'clock the rain slacked and the guests took their leave. Among those present were the following in addition to all of our girls who were hostesses: Mr. and Mrs J. B. Johnston, Mrs. Wilkerson, Miss Lelia Johnston, Billy McCall, Joe Ben Gibbs, Paul Reid Roland Hooten Woot Davis, Jimmy Stafford, William Billings Gwyn Flethcher, Grover Ingram and Paul Burney.

We have seen some splendid pictures this month: Men of Boys' Town (a most enjoyable one). That Hamilton Woman (sad, but good acting) and Adventures in Washington (a patriot picture especially for young people — no one should miss it as it is both entertaining and educational.)

LEE'S COTTAGE

Vacations and camp are in the air at Lee's.

The following boys are away now on vacations: Dwight Spencer visiting his grandmother in Mooresville, Jerry Young visiting his sister in Concord, Raymond Good in Hickory visiting his uncle, Fred Cole in Salisbury with his mother, Wilbur Coates has gone to Baltimore to visit his mother, Ed Blake is visiting relatives in Albemarle and Winston-Salem.

On July 14th Thad Stevens, Charles Barrett, Herbert McMasters, Howard Clarke and James Reid will spend the week at Camp Fellowship. Mrs. Parkley is in charge of camp that week, and everyone is looking forward to going.

Raymond Good and Roscoe Twombly attended the Young People's Conference at Camp Fellowship. They came back and reported a wonderful conference and with much enthusiasm.

Jimmy Dorton and Paul McKenzie, two of our old boys, stopped in to see us while on a visit to Barium.

We are picking some blackberries for Mr. Thomas to make into jam.

We have had our first peaches. They were delicious.

Our truck farm is supplying nice beans, squash, beets, carrots and potatoes for the kitchen.

We all enjoyed having Rev. Jas. H. Calligan and his wife come down during the month of June while our pastor was away. Mr. Calligan brought us some interesting sermons.

Amos Hardy has gone on Mr. Grier's group. He is firing the boiler at the kitchen.

Jack Jones, Jack Caldwell, Jack Clark, Earl Allen and Howard Myatt have gone to live with the Alexander boys. We miss them, but they already act like old-timers at Alexander.

If you are passing by Barium on your vacation stop in and see us.

ALEXANDER

Hello Everybody,

The thing that's uppermost in our minds at the present is that we'll be moving very soon now and that will be one happy day for us all. We cannot thank enough the kind friends who made this possible.

Mrs. Marshall, our matron, has had a serious operation but she is almost well now and will be back soon. We have missed her very much. Mrs. Ralph Spencer was our matron while she was away.

We have a flower garden down at the barn that is the pride of the dairy. For a while we thought everything was going to die because it was so hot but I don't think any of us can complain any more about dry weather.

Many of our boys have gone on their vacations; others are going very soon. All those returning report a grand time but are always glad to be back.

We are all looking forward to camp which starts next week. We hope the weather turns out pretty for us.

We may be writing our next news from our new cottage, so good bye until then.

—Your Dairy friends.

BABY COTTAGE
First Floor

Part of June was topsy-turvey at the Baby Cottage. Everybody moved temporarily to the Infirmary because the Baby Cottage must have new floors, so little folks had to be away for a while. My, how nice our new floors are. Many thanks for them. Then we had a nice surprise in our new curtains for ward one with pigs and horses appliqued on them - all so docile, not a word out of them - but plenty out of our little boys expressing appreciation and happiness.

Our matron, Mrs. Southerland, was away during June. One of the college girls, Mary Adams, looked after the boys while she was away.

Our smallest boy, Johnnie Collins, has had chicken-pox but is nearly well, and will be back soon with us.

Ed Traywick has gone on a vacation. His people live in Belmont.

Several of our boys will go to Synod's Cottage soon. These will be Buddie Maples, Dwight Reid, Mack Wicker, Jerry Ennis and Cromer Curtis.

Two new boys came to live with us. They are Jimmie Freeman and Cromer Curtis. We are glad to welcome them.

Three of our big boys spent a week at Camp Fellowship and all of the smaller boys have visited and spent the day several times at the camp. We all love to go to Camp Fellowship. Mr. Johnston takes us down there sometimes for the afternoon.

One of our big girls is away on her vacation, Betty Lou Williamson. Pat Hooten says it's lonesome without her.

We wish everyone of our friends a happy vacation season.

—Baby Cottage Boys

RUMPLE HALL

Dear Readers,

These are the dish-washers bringing you the news of the month.

The weather has been real hot and the swimming pool sure feels good.

The first girl to return from her vacation was Elise Ferguson. We are all glad to have her back with us and know that she had a good time. Several of our girls have gone and lots more are going later on.

We went to the show Tuesday afternoon and we enjoyed it very much.

We have had our first camp and know that the ones that went had a nice time.

Our matron, Miss Elizabeth Reid, has gone on her vacation and although we miss her we are glad to have Miss Lugene White take her place.

The dining room work is getting lighter and the girls lesser.

Well, this is about all the news for this month.

Look for us next month.

—The Dish Washers.

HOWARD COTTAGE

Hello Folks,

Since we wrote you last time we have been to camp. There were only four girls who did not go to the first camp and their names were Peggy and Betty Coffey, Annie Star Langley and Dorothy Shepherd. Some of our girls have gone on their vacations. Miss Burgess went on her vacation on June 27th and we hope she has a nice time. Martha Adams is our matron and we like her very much.

We went to the show and the name was "Adventures in Washington". It was real good.

We've enjoyed having Mr. Calligan with us while our pastor, Mr. Cook, was on his vacation.

A lot of our girls have moved to Rumple Hall and some of the Annie Louise girls have moved to Howard Cottage.

We all hope you enjoyed the week at camp. We are having a good time.

Tom McCall and Ernest Stricklin are going to take us blackberry hunting.

So long, folks, until next month.

—Dorothy Shepherd
—Mary Ruth Gregory.

ANNIE LOUISE

Hello Everybody,

These are the Annie Louise girls back to give the news for this month.

This month has been a very busy one for us. We have been sending some of our girls to other cottages and are getting more in. The girls who left were: Nellie Isenhour, Melva Powell, Bettie Lou Hooten, Betty Joe Smith, Gwendolyn Landrum, Mary Morgan, Callie Dunn, Margaret Bullard and Kathleen Monroe. Only two girls have moved over here so far, but we will get more. They are: Caroline Wicker and Betty Jean McBride.

Some of our girls have gone on their vacations and more will be going soon. The ones who have gone this month are: Lorene Hall and Juanita Young.

Essie Jean Lee has just returned from a three weeks' vacation with her mother and reported a good time, but we are sorry that Mrs. Lee broke her foot during Essie's vacation.

We are very sorry that one of our big girls, Gertrude Bryant, has left us to go to the Woman's Building. We hope she will enjoy living over there.

We have just returned from a week at camp and want to thank all who made it possible for us to have such a good time. We especially want to thank Mr. Johnston for providing us such a fine place to have fun. We enjoyed having the little Gerald girl from Statesville down there with us, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam's two little girls.

We want to thank Mr. and Mrs. Sams for the show tickets and the candy that they gave us. We also want to express our appreciation to Mr. Sams for inviting us to the show to see, "Adventures In Washington".

Elsie Vest is going on a two week's vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Milton and their daughter, Mabel, to Georgia. We know they will have a good time.

Elmina Johnson has come from New Bern to live with us at our cottage. She seems such a happy little girl and we love her.

We will be back again next month to give you more news. So be waiting for us.

Your little friends,
The Annie Louise Girls.

INFIRMARY

Here we are again bringing you the high light news of the Infirmary.

We have had very few sick. We now have Johnnie Collins with the chicken pox and Lois Dellinger with an upset stomach.

We are glad to have Mrs. Dot Marshall, Alexander Matron, with us while she recovers from her illness.

We had the pleasure of having Miss Sarah Dudley Whitmore, the director of Religious Education and Student Work, of Greenville, N. C. and Miss Nell Morton from Richmond, Va. as guests of ours at nights while they spent a few days at Camp Fellowship.

Four of our girls, Elaine Faircloth, Louise Brock, Lillie Bell Smith and Mary Nell Pearson are away on vacations. Beulah Baldwin is expecting to go Friday and Martha Price is leaving sometime in July. We miss them lots, but we know they are having a grand time.

We had a party here at the Infirmary. We had a grand time and we hope the boys that came did, too.

This is all the news for this time, but will bring you more news next month.

—Martha Price
—Beulah Baldwin.

SHERRILL PRINTING OFFICE

Hello Folks,

This is the first news put out

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Interesting Items in the Mailbag

A former teacher and matron at Barium Springs attended the 1941 graduating exercises and her comment was of a nature that will be highly gratifying to friends everywhere. Here is a portion of her letter:

"Since 1927, the year in which I made my 'debut' at Barium Springs, I have attended every commencement with the exception of one two years ago. Last night I attended the graduating exercises, remembering that some of them were my first graders at one time. To say that I was thrilled is writing it lightly.

"Being the first to arrive after the doors were opened, Paul Horne gave me my choice of seats. I chose one near the entrance so that I could see all who came in. As always, everything was wonderful and I was deeply appreciative of the fact that it has been my privilege to live with them for a while - a privilege for which I have always felt grateful.

"Miss ———, a teacher who lives with us, told me this: 'I am a Methodist and support that church, but once I had saved $5.00 for something but didn't know what. I was just saving it. Accidentally, I picked up a paper and read something about Barium Springs and felt impressed to send the money there, which I did, and received a very gracious letter of thanks. I felt very happy that I had sent it there.' "

In February of this year, definite goals were suggested for some Sunday Schools as they made their final offerings of 1940-1941 for Barium Springs (by the way, approximately 85% of the goals were more than met by those to whom suggestions were offered). A letter was written to the Men's Bible Class at Mount Holly, and when the check for March arrived, here is what was said:

"I did not receive your letter in time to take it before the class last Sunday. As it so happened the attendance was not so good, therefore the collection did not come up to par.

"I was determined that you should not be disappointed so I got busy Monday and Tuesday interviewing some of the delinquents, which I usually do every month, and was very successful so am enclosing a check for $16.53 which is the contribution of the Men's Bible Class for the month of March. As a matter of fact, I had made up my mind that if I could not raise the quota I would pay the difference myself."

Did you notice two special things in the letter that was written? The first was that it was customary for the treasurer to see those who were absent on Sunday and obtain their contributions for Barium. The second was that the treasurer was so determined to have an excellent concluding report that he was personally going to make up the difference of the goal if he hadn't obtained it from the class.

One of the "baby" Sunday Schools of Synod is Commonwealth Avenue, in Charlotte, which adopted the offering-per-month plan for Barium Springs almost immediately after a Sunday School was organized there. That Sunday School also wanted to make a "rip-roaring" conclusion in March, and the letter that accompanied the best offering ever made by that Sunday School is partially quoted below:

"Our attendance at Sunday School last Sunday was badly cut down because of an epidemic of colds and sore throats. Consequently our collection was less than the amount about which you wrote such an appreciative letter. When the sum was less than $5.00 I asked for permission to make up the difference out of the treasurer's balance.

"When the vote was taken to 'Make it $5.00' one member produced another dollar saying, 'Let's make it six.' Another handed in fifty cents, a third a quarter and others smaller amounts until we had $7.50 to send you for this Sunday's collection."

The above simply shows what fine results can be accomplished with a little extra effort and an extra amount of interest in the offering that is made each month.

From Westminster Sunday School in Orange Presbytery came an exceptionally large check in May, and an extra $5.00 in the total was explained as follows:

"Enclosed is check for $29.03. I wrote some time ago that one of our church members, not a member of the Sunday School, gave $1.00 each first Sunday for Barium. At that time he had been in the hospital for an operation, and you remember he got behind and gave me $3.00 to catch up. This morning he gave me $5.00, saying that paid him up to date. His health has not been good of late and he doesn't get to church often. This is just one instance of the interest our people have in Barium."

How splendid it is that this friend, not a regular member of the Sunday School and not always able to attend church, never forgets Barium Springs and that he has pledged himself to give $1.00 each month.

By the way, the June Offering of this Sunday School was $26.80, and the treasurer commented, "We didn't have any members to pay for past Sundays today!"

Just before the new church year of 1941-1942 began we received a $25.00 check from the Young Men's Bible Class of the Greensboro First Sunday School for the initial quarter of the new church year. We thought it was great that this Class could send us one quarter's appropriation even before the start of the new year. But, we were in for a greater surprise the last of May, when a $75.00 check for the second, third and fourth quarters was received, the treasurer stating that they had the money, the banks didn't need it, but he thought we might find a place for it. What do you, the reader of this column, think? Yes, sir, and yes, ma'am, that was our answer, too. We went on to tell the Class that we felt as if their action was "one for the books" worthy of mention in "Believe It Or Not" or "Strange As It May Seem". It's a rarity when an organization can complete a year's pledge to Barium Springs before the expiration of the second month of the fiscal period.

If you want to know the kind of results that follow a visit to Barium Springs here are extracts from a letter received from the treasurer of the Kings Mountain Sunday school after the Men's Bible Class had honored us with a visit:

"Enclosed I hand you check for $19.25 being the Sunday School Offering for the month of April, 1941, and also check for $44.60 being the Sunday School Offering for the month of May, 1941. I received your receipt for the $6.00 turned over to you the day we visited Barium Springs. I figured the $6.00 in the May Offering, which would make $50.60.

"I told the Bible Class that the offering on the first Sunday following our visit showed definitely the thrill that we got out of visiting Barium. We sure did enjoy the visit, which we had been planning so long, as well as the fine dinner you gave us. * * To see what a wonderful Christian work is being done at Barium is indeed an inspiration."

Reading the above you will understand why visits to Barium Springs are urged, but we are not thinking solely of the benefit to ourselves that almost universally follows such a pilgrimage. We do think that friends generously contributing to our work ought to see the Home, the children and get an insight as to what is being accomplished with their donations.

Operetta Is Given By Students During May

On May 30th some of the boys and girls at Barium Springs, under the direction of Miss Lorena Clark, head matron and in charge of the Woman's Building, presented an entertaining operetta entitled "The Gypsy Rover". The operetta was in three acts, the time being 1778 in the reign of George III. The first act was a gypsy camp morning, and the other two scenes were laid in a room in the home of Sir George.

Myrtle Mills was pianist, and the cast of characters included Daisy Cayton as Meg, Rob's foster mother; Lillie Bryant as Zara, A Gypsy flirt; Dick Parrish as Marto, Meg's husband; Paul Horne as Sinfo, in love with Zara; Pleas Norman as Rob, Afterwards Sir Gilbert; Mabel Shoaf as Lady Constance, Daughter of Sir George Martindale; Billy McCall as Lord Craven, English dandy; Vance Smith as Sir George Martindale, Country gentleman; Lillian Sanders as Nina, his second daughter; Clifton Barefoot as Capt. Jerome, Capt. in English army; Jack McCall as Sir Toby Lyon, Society butterfly, and Billy Lindsey as McCorkle, Song publisher.

A group of boys and girls, attired in gypsy costumes, sang in the several choruses during the evening's entertainment.

The young author sent the manuscript of a book he had written to the literary editor asking him his opinion of it, and mentioned that he had several other irons in the fire. "Put this with the other irons," came back the brief reply.

Activities Among the Alumni

LOOKOUT HITLER,
HERE WE COME!

We are getting so many boys in the various branches of the service that we thought it might be a good idea to list them here for your information!

Several days ago Tom Bobbitt of the army blew in from way out in Washington state, driving through with his wife all the way across the continent, among other things to visit Barium Springs.

A short time before that Paul Pittman, in the flying service, did the same thing, driving through from Los Angeles. Lieut. Bruce Parcell and Fred Edwards are also in the Air Corps.

Then there are Charles and Leonard Fort and Jim Johnston all officers in the army by virtue of their ROTC training at Davidson.

James Porter, Fred Lowrance, J. P. Stinson, Paul Cornette, Tech. Sgt. Reginald Jones, Walter Archer, E. A. Yarbrough and J. D. Beshears in the Army.

There are Herbert Blue and Miller Blue in the Marines.

Lacy Adcox, Jesse Weeks, Roland Gantt, John Donaldson, John Ellis, Walter Motte, Howard Beshears, Tom Morgan, Baxter Turner, Russell McKenzie, James Shroyer, Roland Hooten, Rex Lewis, Jimmy Dorton, Standish McKenzie, and Gordon Jones all in the Navy.

These are the ones we know about. There are no doubt many others who will be driving in to see us all dressed up in uniform to tell us about their being in the service.

MARRIAGES.
West-Maness.

"Mr. and Mrs. Neill Wade Maness announce the marriage of their daughter, Mary Louise, to Mr. Louis Pennington West on Sunday, June 29th, at Buies Creek." The above announcement has been received at Barium Springs, the bridegroom being a one-time member of the family in the Home here. Mr. West was the eldest of a family of four that included Julian, Lee and Mary Lathan West, all of whom are now married except Julian. Mr. and Mrs. West are residing at Dunn.

Mr. and Mrs West visited Barium Springs while on their honeymoon.
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Information has been received by Jos. B. Johnston, superintendent of the Home here, that Walter S. Motte, a 1940 graduate of the Home, has been selected as honor man of his platoon for the period of training at the Naval Training School at Norfolk, Va. The letter to Mr. Johnston pointed out that this was considered a high honor by navy men and to win it "a man must not only be recommended by his superiors but he must also receive a majority of votes of his shipmates, and in order to be recommended a man must have demonstrated that he possesses those qualities that go to make a successful man in the Navy." The Statesville Record carried a story about this in its June 30th issue, and also used a picture of this 1940 Barium graduate.

Mecklenburg Provides Best

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lation below:

Presbytery	Per Capita	Own Children
Mecklenburg	4th	1st
Orange	5th	2nd
Kings Mountain	3rd	3rd
Concord	2nd	4th
Granville	7th	5th
Winston-Salem	1st	6th
Fayetteville	8th	7th
Wilmington	9th	8th
Albemarle	6th	9th

At the close of 1940-1941 there were 318 children at Barium Springs, the distribution by Presbyteries being as follows: Albemarle 32, Concord 52, Fayetteville 48, Granville 18, Kings Mountain 21, Mecklenburg 42, Orange 34, Wilmington 39, and Winston-Salem 31. Some of those 318 have either graduated or gone out to re-established homes, with many new ones coming in this summer. Until the intake has been completed no announcement will be made of the number of children in the Home from each Presbytery.

Cottage News

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by the printing office in a long time. This is the second Messenger published in the new building given to us by Mr. F. A. Sherrill of Statesville. We all thank you Mr. Sherrill.

We have seven boys on our group. They are, David Burney, Pleas Norman, Paul Reid, Mott Price, Ray Lewis, Jimmy Hays, and Earl Allen. Mr. E. K. Kyles is our boss. Three of our boys are away now but will be back soon. They are David, Pleas and Mott.

We used to cut on the heat to the Linotype and Intertype machines early in the morning, but Mr. Kyles fixed a switch, with a rat trap and clock, which cuts it on at the right time. You ought to see his "invention."

We are working on the July Messenger now. Later on we will print 10,000 pictorial and historical books for the 50th anniversary of Barium Springs.

The shoe shop is in the basement of this building and Mr. Martin is the shoe man.

—The Printers

ORCHARD NEWS

Well, well, here is a bit of news from the orchard boys. We are so busy that we are rushed from day to day. We have a total number of seven hard workers, who plant, hoe, can, spray and tend to all the fruit that is grown here at our Home. We grow apples, peaches, grapes and strawberries and get honey from the (tame) honeybees.

We began spraying early in March and are still spraying the apples, peaches and grapes to make the best fruit possible. We thinned the peaches because of their quantity on the trees. They were so thick on the trees that we picked them off in large amounts.

The apple trees were strickened with blight. It sure was a job to cut it out and we are not through yet, but the spray will help us to kill it out. We are glad to have a cold storage put in our apple-house because it will preserve the apples all winter.

Some of our early peaches have ripened and were very delicious, especially in ice cream.

We have canned a few beets and blackberries so far this summer, which is only the beginning of our canning career this season. We expect to can about 6,000 gal. of everything this summer including pickled beets, blackberry jam, apples and apple sauce, marmalade, pie peaches, regular desert peaches, beans, krout, tomatoes, tomatoe juice, cucumbers, vinegar and ketchup.

We always like to have a variety of foods, but can eat anything which is put on the table.

Mr. Thomas, our boss and a very good one, works with us and supervises all the work which is done. He is a small man with large responsibilities and seems to keep these responsibilities well in hand.

Everyone is so fond of our fruit that when we carry it around to the cottages, they are shouting for more before we can come around again.

You will always find the orchard boys in good condition and are willing to work.

The orchards are covered with spray, but if anyone would like to visit them and get an idea of how much fruit they can bear you are quite welcome to visit them.

Our news is running low and before we stop we hope that you will look forward to this column again in the Messenger.

—The Orchard Boys

SYNOD'S COTTAGE

Dear Friends,

Vacation is now in full swing and about six of our boys have gone home. There will be about three or four going home some time this week.

We went to camp the 16th of the month and we surely did have a good time.

We sure are having good dips in the swimming pool these hot days.

We went to see "Adventures in Washington" last week and we all enjoyed it very much.

We sure do enjoy playing baseball and hope to get to play against some more of the cottages pretty soon. —The Wigglers.

BABY COTTAGE
2nd Floor

Hello Folks,

Here we are again bringing you our doings during the month. We hope you will all read about us every month.

Since we wrote you our school girls, Ray Powell, May Hillard, Katie Dunn, Peggy Land, Loretta Young and Jane Feimster have gone to camp and come back. They seemed to have had a grand time. They all wish to thank Mr. and Mrs. Sams for the candy and a free show ticket to the State Theatre.

Jane Feimster, Jackie Porterfield and Lilly Bryant have gone off on their vacations. Loretta Young will go tomorrow. We hope that they are having a good time.

We want to thank Mr. Sams for inviting us to the show to see "Adventures in Washington." It was a good picture.

Yesterday we had a nice visit from Mrs. John Wright and Mrs. Henry Shuford and her little daughter, Anne, all of Statesville. They gave each one of us a penny with which we are going to buy a sucker. Thanks a lot for the pennies.

We want to thank Mr. Thomas for the nice apples he has been bringing us.

We certainly are enjoying our new floors and are trying to take good care of them.

Another little girl, Shirley Johnson, who is three years old, has come to live with us. Shirley has pretty blonde curly hair, big blue eyes, and dimples as big as saucers. The other day one of the little girls told Shirley that Johnny had the chicken pox. She came up to Janie Smith (Jeannie as she calls her) and said, "Jeannie's got the Johnny hox." She accidentally got her tongue twisted.

Louise and Barbara Bradshaw, Shirley Johnson, Lois Dellinger and May Hillard have had visits from their folks and friends.

—The Babies.

6,000 Cans and 6,000 lbs. Sugar

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Barium Springs before the price rise.

Not all of the sugar is going to be used in canning this summer, but Mr. Thomas, who is in charge of the orchard and whose responsibility it is to operate the canning house, estimated that at least 3,500 pounds of the three tons ordered would be used with peaches and other canned products that require sugar. The other was for table consumption, which runs into the hundreds of pounds each month.

In 1940 there was a short peach crop, the meagre number of peaches obtained from the orchards being eaten. Fortunately, 3,600 gallons of peaches had been canned when there was a bumper crop in 1929, with the result that some of the 1939 canned peaches are still being used. It looks like a good peach crop this summer and 3,500 cans will be filled with peaches for a two-year supply, should there happen to be a dearth of these in 1942.

The other 2,500 cans will be used for stringed beans, blackberries, tomatoes, tomato juice, pears, apples, apple sauce, pickled beets, cucumber pickles and a few other products in small quantities. A good many gallon jugs will be used in putting up ketchup. The first attempt in the latter field was made last summer and it was most successful. A few barrels will also be used in vinegar. The inventory on canned supplies immediately at the summer's end runs into thousands of dollars. Doing all of this work is a big factor in the food costs during the winter months.

For two or three weeks the canning house has been opened and in operation and there will be little cessation of work in this structure all during the summer. Few visitors are taken to that building, for it is a small one and it is hard for an appreciable sized group to thoroughly see it. Then, too, it is a hot place and it is felt that visitors prefer "doing" other places than to come out with handkerchiefs that are wet from the perspiration-mopping that is necessary in a spot of such a tepid temperature.

Sunday Schools Scale New

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years.

Synod long ago recognized that the budget allotment to the cause of the Presbyterian Orphans' Home was insufficient for the needs of caring for the large family at Barium Springs and a source of supplementing the budget appropriations of churches is Sunday School contributions. In recent years a large number of Sunday Schools have aligned themselves with this systematic plan and extremely favorable results have followed, both for the Home here and for the organization aiding the work on a monthly basis. It would be difficult to induce some Sunday Schools to stop the procedure, for this is accepted as a matter of course as well as a matter of responsibility.

The increased amount from the Sunday Schools in the past eight years has come about through the inclusion of this procedure in the program of many and also by the ever-increasingly large number of Bible Classes - men and ladies - joining others in such assistance. Several large Bible Classes have assumed the entire support of children here and a few more of the larger Bible Classes accepting such a responsibility would go a long way in increasing the already splendid pinnacle amount given by the Sunday Schools last year.

The record of giving from that source in the past eight years is a story in itself, for it has gone from $13,466.42 in 1933-1934 to $20,383.84 in 1940-1941 - a difference of $6,917.42 between the aggregates of those years. Here is the way the totals have stacked up since 1933-1934:

Year	Amount
1933-1934	$13,466.42
1934-1935	15,594.03
1935-1936	16,490.62
1936-1937	18,458.19
1937-1938	18,780.42
1938-1939	18,698.32
1939-1940	20,030.74
1940-1941	20,383.84
1941-1942	? ? ?

Camp Fellowship in Operation

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sters 12 years and younger, participating in the initial one have revealed the good times that they had there from Monday afternoon until mid-morning on Saturday. This was during the week that began on June 16th.

However, before this week's outing, the camp was used for a retreat of the Presbytery officers of Young People's Leagues in the nine Presbyteries of the North Carolina Synod, this being under the direction of Rev. Oscar Mann, D. D. This group met for two days, June 9th and 10th, before Synod's Young People's conference opened at Davidson. The Young People of Bethpage Church were there on June 13th and 14th.

The Intermediate Young People's conference of Concord Presbytery was staged at Camp Fellowship during the week beginning June 23rd; the children of Alexander Home in Charlotte were there for the week starting June 30th, and the Girl Scouts of Statesville had the camp for the week starting July 7th.

Shortly after going to press with this issue of The Messenger Barium will be holding its second encampment and will also use it the week that begins July 21st. The week of July 28th had been reserved by a Methodist group, but that reservation has been cancelled and the camp is open for that one week (at least, it was open the day this was written). Children's Home, of Winston-Salem, a Methodist Home, will use it for one week starting August 4th, and the two weeks thereafter will be for the two final weeks of camp for the local children. The closing week will be for those boys and girls that did not have any place to spend a vacation, these being given a second week at Camp Fellowship. Every child at Barium goes for one week.

Alumni of Barium have been offered the use of the camp for the week that starts August 25th, and the definiteness of this for former boys and girls will later be determined by those who express a desire to spend a week in this neighborhood. On Thursday of that last week in August the summer-time Home-Coming celebration will be staged at Barium Springs.

Teacher: "Try this sentence: 'Take the cow out of the field.' What mood."

Bright Pupil: "The Cow?"

"Where did you buy your link sausage?"

"At one of the chain stores."

Memorial Gifts Total $1,592.75

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three of the five buildings constructed at Barium Springs this spring were with memorial gifts that totaled $26,000.00.

Neither does the mentioned total of the past nine years include $2,000.00 that has come to Barium Springs from an individual who, since November of 1936, has been sending periodic sums to this Home to establish a permanent memorial. This party sends a check from time to time and the $2,000.00 received so far has been invested. As time goes on, the memorial sum will be built up "as long as my luck holds" wrote the party in informing Barium officials of his intention.

Memorial contributions are sent immediately following the deaths of friends and loved ones, they come to us as memorials on Mother's Day and Father's Day, at Christmas-time, as an expression of thankfulness for loved ones during the Thanksgiving season, as Easter remembrances, on the anniversary of birthdays, on the anniversary of deaths of loved ones, and still other special occasions that are not mentioned in the above.

Just what the amount will be at the close of 1941-1942 is mere conjecture, but it is known that the increasingly popular procedure would seem to indicate that there will be an even larger total at the end of the current year. For instance, in a 10-day period of June, 22 memorial gifts came to Barium Springs; for the entire month of June, memorial contributions numbered 42 and totaled $147.50.

With the exception of two years there has been a steady increase in memorial donations since 1932-1933. The following shows how the aggregate has been climbing:

Year	Amount
1932-1933	$ 78.00
1933-1934	158.00
1934-1935	332.40
1935-1936	308.50
1936-1937	487.05
1937-1938	754.65
1938-1939	700.21
1939-1940	1,034.70
1940-1941	1,592.75
Nine Year Total	$5,446.26

List of Thirty Donors Given

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by J. B. King's children, of Charlotte.

In memory of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Hart, by Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Hart, Mooresville.

In memory of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Steele, by Mrs. E. R. Rankin of Statesville.

In memory of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hicks, by C. S. Hicks, Durham; Rufus W. Hicks, Charlotte; Glasgow Hicks, Wilmington; J. Gray Hicks, Greensboro, and Mrs. E. B. Josey, Wilson.

In memory of John M. Bernhardt, by a relative.

In memory of her father, William Henry Simpson, by Mrs. Lily Simpson Sherard, of Gastonia.

In memory of her husband, by Mrs. M. A. Bethune, of Fayetteville.

In memory of their father, Bert E. Martin, by Mrs. Albert P. Cox, Mrs. Ben C. Thigpen, Mrs. Deems M. May and James Martin.

In memory of Henry D. Baker, by the Big Brothers' Class of the Durham First Church.

In memory of her brother, Mathew Hugh Steele, by Mrs. Rhodes Guffey, of Salisbury.

In honor of Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Cochran, by a relative.

In honor of Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Grier, by a relative.

The following furnished rooms that were not memorials or in honor of individuals:

Mecklenburg Presbyterial.

Kings Mountain Presbyterial.

Mr. and Mrs. Coit Robinson, of Lowell.

A Durham Friend.

Mrs. Mabel Belk Dew, of Monroe.

A bequest of the late Mrs. George E. Wilson, of Charlotte, four bedrooms.

June Receipts

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are going to be better than in July of 1940, when $3,665.08 was received here. The total in June was $2,462.83, and if this month's receipts are akin to those of last July, it would mean over $1,200.00 more to be received in July than during last month.

Here is the lineup of the Presbyteries after gifts of April, May and June were considered:

Presbytery	June Receipts Regular	Am't Rec'd. Per Mem.	Total Per Mem. for Year
Winston-Salem	$220.13	4.2c	12.2c
Albemarle	158.81	3.3c	9.1c
Orange	259.69	1.8c	8.7c
Mecklenburg	562.94	3 c	8.6c
Kings Mountain	188.30	3 c	8.4c
Concord	380.53	3 c	8.2c
Granville	194.20	2.9c	5.5c
Fayetteville	346.66	2.5c	4.2c
Wilmington	151.47	1.8c	3.7c
SYNOD	$2,462.73	2.7c	7.4c

Of the $6,745.27 received in the past three months, Sunday Schools sent 50.3% of that; Church budgets were responsible for 33.3% and Auxiliaries 16.4%. In dollars and cents that was $3,392.26 from Sunday Schools; $2,245.96 from Church budgets, and $1,107.05 from the Auxiliaries. Detail on the income follows:

Presbytery	Ch. S. S.	Aux.
Albemarle	$ 78.11	$175.29	$184.94
Concord	357.40	587.97	108.50
Fayetteville	87.51	451.35	31.45
Granville	92.48	187.69	91.85
Kings Mountain	20.00	290.80	110.95
Mecklenburg	775.73	649.55	179.75
Orange	353.43	631.70	234.20
Wilmington	126.11	159.87	31.36
Winston-Salem	355.19	158.04	134.05
Totals	$2,245.96	$3,392.26	$1,107.05

More Than One?

Does more than one copy of The Barium Messenger reach your home? If so, won't you please send a postal card to Ernest Milton, Barium Springs, and instruct him as to the name which should be eliminated from the mailing list? In dealing with 25,000 names and in receiving a great many lists of names, duplications inevitably occur particulary when members of the same family having different surnames live in the same household. If you get more than one copy, notify Mr. Milton and this extra copy will then be available for someone else.

Miscellaneous Gifts

Carroway's Aux. Circle, 1 quilt.
Mrs. R. U. Fox, Hartsville, S. C., clothing.
Mrs. Stacy Autry, Clinton, 1 quilt.
Parkton Aux., 28 towels, 1 dresser scarf.
Candor Aux., Young Girls' Circle, 1 dresser scarf and 1 tea towel.

Cottages

A Relative, in memory of John M. Bernhardt, Lenoir	100.00
A Durham Friend	100.00
Mrs. W. A. Sherard, Gastonia, in memory of her father, William Henry Simpson	100.00
Mrs. Mabel Belk Dew, Monroe	100.00
N. C. Synodical	309.30
J. Gray Hicks, Greensboro; R. W. Hicks, Charlotte, Mrs. Otha Hicks Josey, Wilson; C. S. Hicks, Durham, and Glasgow Hicks, Wilmington, in memory of their parents Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hicks	100.00
Mrs. Rhodes Guffey, Salisbury, in memory of her brother, Mathew Hugh Steele	100.00
Total for Furnishings In New Dormitories	$909.30

For Messenger

Mrs. J. G. Riley, Aberdeen, Barium Alumnae	1.00
Mrs. E. G. Finley, North Wilkesboro	2.00
Mrs. Callie S. Brown, Davidson	1.00
Total for Messenger	$4.00

Miscellaneous

A. E. Scharrer, Gastonia	5.00
A Friend	5.00
Miss C. H. Stone, High Point	1.00
Phil and Emly Willer, Kannapolis	3.00
J. R. Gaither	15.00
A Friend	50.00
F. B. Wiggins, Norlina	5.00
Mrs. Callie S. Brown, Davidson	5.00
Dr. Fred Patterson, Camp Forrest, Tenn.	10.00
C. G. Pepper, Hamlet	1.00
A Friend	10.00
Mrs. James Sloan, Redlands, Calif	200.00
Total Miscellaneous	$310.00

In Memorium

Mrs. H. M. Eddleman, Gastonia:	
Gastonia 1st Choir	5.00
Gastonia 1st S. S., Nellie Warren B. C.	2.50
Gastonia 1st Aux., Circle No. 8	2.00
Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Ray, Gastonia	3.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Matthews, Gastonia	5.00
Mrs. Bess D. Norwood, Charlotte	3.50
Mr. Charlie Ford, Gastonia:	
Mr. and Mrs. William King, Columbia, S. C.	5.00
Their Father, on Father's Day:	
K. F. Howard and Mrs. G. L. Hooper, Dunn	5.00
Mr. Samuel Dysart, Morganton:	
Dr. S. W. Hoffman, Statesville	2.00
Mr. W. Ross Johnston, Mooresville:	
Mr. and Mrs. John W. Moore, Mooresville	3.00
Hon. and Mrs. Z. V. Turlington, Mooresville	2.50
Mr. and Mrs. W. M. and Miss Mary M. Norman, Mooresville	3.00
Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Johnston, Mooresville	3.00
Mr. C. A. Mayhew and family, Mooresville	5.00
The Bruce McNeely Family, Mooresville	3.00
Mr. and Mrs. C. P. McNeely, Mooresville	5.00
D. K. McNeely Sons Co., Mooresville	3.00
Mooresville 1st Church	7.50
Miss Flossie Johnston and Mr. W. Ross Johnston, sister and brother, Mooresville:	
Friends, Mooresville	2.00
Mrs. John P. Allison, Concord:	
Concord 1st Aux., Circle No. 4	2.50
Miss Elma Boyd, Concord, and Mrs. W. T. Klutz, Salisbury	3.00
Mrs. W. W. Flowe, Concord	5.00
Mr. C. H. Turner, Statesville:	
Mr. and Mrs. George H. Emery, Statesville	3.00
Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Scott, Statesville	3.00
Mr. and Mrs. James H. Thompson, Statesville	3.00
Mr. and Mrs. Karl Deaton, Statesville	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. A. Fuller Sams, Jr., Statesville	5.00
Mr. M. J. Harris, Albemarle:	
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Morrow, Albemarle	5.00
Miss Annie L. Morrow, Albemarle	2.50
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Little, Albemarle	2.50
Albemarle 1st Board of Deacons	5.00
Mrs. Silas H. Efird and Daughter, Albemarle	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Fry, Salisbury	5.00
Mrs. E. L. Greenlee and Mrs. R. K. Patterson, Albemarle	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Winget & Family, Albemarle	5.00
Mr. B. B. Melton, Badin:	
Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Keller, Badin	2.50
Mrs. H. M. Moffett, Charlotte:	
Prof. and Mrs. Nelson Mebane, Jr., and Prof. and Mrs. Oscar Thies, Jr., Davidson	3.00
Mrs. Martha Louise Gayle, LaCross, Va.:	
Badin S. S., Men's B. C.	2.50
Dr. Ben McGoogan, Morven:	
Shelby 1st S. S., Men's B. C.	3.00
Dr. J. Vance Dick, Gibsonville:	
Minneola Mfg. Co., Gibsonville	10.00
Mr. J. W. Sample, Birmingham, Ala.:	
Mrs. H. J. Allison, Charlotte	3.00
Mrs. James B. Neely, Asheboro:	
Asheboro Y. P.'s L.	2.50
Total Memorials	**$152.50**

Clothing Fund

Bethpage Aux.	15.00
Buffalo (G) S. S., Mrs. Bell's Class	3.50
Burlington 1st Aux.	30.00
Charlotte 2nd S. S., Spencer B. C.	15.00
Falkland Aux.	10.00
Henderson S. S., W. B.'s C.	11.00
Howard Memorial Aux.	
Mrs. Mabry Hart	5.00
Mrs. Job Cobb	8.00
Mrs. Geo. Holderness	8.50
Kinston Aux.	15.00
Lexington 1st Aux.	30.00
Morganton 1st S. S.	15.00
Oak Plain Aux.	7.50
Statesville 1st S. S., Primary Dept.	7.49
Total Clothing Fund	**$189.99**

Churches

Antioch (F)	2.63
Bethesda (F)	1.44
Bethpage	6.48
Blacknall Memorial	7.80
Brookston	.57
Burgaw	4.68
Burlington 1st, Special	1.09
Camp Greene	2.40
Charlotte 2nd	128.00
1940 Thanksgiving	8.00
Conley Memorial	.75
Cook's Memorial	1.59
Davidson	26.25
Eagle Springs	2.25
Faison	12.58
Franklin	3.75
Fuller Memorial	1.86
Gastonia 1st, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kendrick, May and June	10.00
Gilmore Memorial	.33
Gilwood	9.09
Goshen (G) Chapel	5.75
Harmony (C)	1.25
Henderson	15.90
Hickory 1st	10.72
Kannapolis First	8.46
Laurinburg	8.76
Lenoir, A Friend	20.00
Lexington 1st, Special	5.15
Little Joe's	4.65
Lumberton	42.63
Maxton 1st	.90
Myatt's	7.50
Myers Park	78.34
North Charlotte	.80
Old Fort	2.25
Paw Creek	4.00
Philadelphia	1.11
Plaza, M. J. Dean	10.00
Prospect	4.90
Raleigh 1st	54.00
Rocky Mount 1st	35.00
Saint Andrews (W), May	12.75
Saint Paul (F)	18.75
Salisbury 1st	31.32
Sherwood	6.75
Shiloh (C)	1.28
Spencer	1.29
Sugaw Creek	8.00
Tabor	.56
Thyatira	3.79
Unity (C)	2.70
Wallace	9.00
West Avenue (M)	2.46
Williams' Memorial	12.00
Wilmington 1st, May	24.88
Winston-Salem 1st	112.50
Woodburn	.63

Sunday Schools

Alamance	13.30
Albemarle 1st	40.25
Bethesda (O)	2.60
Badin, Ladies' B. C.	3.00
Bethel (M)	5.60
Bethesda (F)	10.84
Bluff, May	1.50
June	2.00
Brittain	2.39
Buffalo (G)	23.82
Buffalo (L), 1st quarter	15.00
Burgaw, April, May and June	10.00
Burlington 1st	31.42
Burlington 2nd	10.00
Chadbourn, May	7.75
June	6.35
Cherryville, May	10.36
Clarkton	7.89
Commonwealth Avenue, May	5.50
June	6.34
Concord Iredell	6.38
Concord 1st	13.83
Cornelius, 1st quarter	5.00
Cramerton, Men's B. C.	20.00
Culdee	3.50
Cypress	3.00
Dallas	2.25
Davidson	11.85
Durham 1st	10.41
El-Bethel	4.15
Elise	3.63
Elizabethtown, May	6.65
Erwin	11.01
Falkland, 1st quarter	8.33
Farmville (A)	6.25
Fayetteville 1st	10.00
Flat Branch, April	3.22
May	2.16
June	2.23
Fountain	2.85
Gilwood, 1st quarter	13.54
Godwin	4.00
Goldsboro	6.33
Greensboro 1st, Men's B. C.	18.50
Grove (F)	3.75
Grove (W)	5.45
Hamlet, Y. M.'s B. C.	1.00
Haywood, April	1.50
May	1.50
June	1.41
Henderson	3.00
Highland, Outlook B. C.	9.00
Howard Memorial, May	5.01
June	4.61
Huntersville	14.04
Immanuel, Primary Department	5.00
Iron Station, 1st quarter	4.15
Kannapolis First	21.70
Lakeview, 1st quarter	7.15
Landis Chapel	1.00
Laurel Hill, 1st quarter	9.54
Laurinburg	28.47
Leaflet	2.75
Lincolnton	13.00
Little Joe's	1.85
Little River, 1st quarter	7.00
Littleton	1.40
Long Creek	4.05
Lumber Bridge	2.14
Lumberton, 1st quarter	37.50
Madison	7.48
Manly	6.52
Marion	8.41
Mayo Mission, May	4.25
June	4.25
McMillan	3.00
McPherson, April, May and June	30.00
Mebane, May and June	14.00
Mocksville, May	5.00
Monroe	14.41
Mooresville 1st	21.50
Mount Holly, Men's B. C., May	10.00
Ladies' B. C.	4.07
Mulberry, May	6.15
June	6.72
Myers Park, Budget	15.45
New Bern 1st	2.72
Men's B. C.	2.71
New Hope (KM), May and June	15.50
New Hope (O)	3.05
New Hope (W), 1st quarter	6.00
North Vanguard, Special Birthday	5.00
Oak Hill	.51
Olivia	16.59
Olney, May	9.14
June	7.74
Park Place, May	3.25
June	2.75
Pearsall Memorial	5.50
Pocket, April	1.84
May	1.74
Prospect	9.20
Raleigh 1st, Moment Class, May	6.75
Red House, Junior Class and Auxiliary	.70
Robinson	7.35
Rockingham	20.00
Rocky Mount 1st, Men's B. C., April	11.00
May	10.50
Jennie K. Hill B. C., May	5.00
Rutherfordton	6.06
Saint Andrews (W)	3.75
Salisbury 1st	6.46
Women's B. C.	5.00
Rumple Bible Class, June and July	10.00
Everyman's B. C., May	25.00
Salisbury 2nd, May	13.80
Shiloh (KM), April	1.86
May	1.03
South River	1.00
Statesville 1st, May	12.27
Sunnyside, 1st quarter	17.46
Tenth Avenue	20.56
Thyatira	10.00
Trinity Avenue	21.00
Union (F), 1st quarter	4.28
Union (KM)	3.25
Union Mills	2.65
Varina	1.80
Vass	15.46
Westminster (M), 1st quarter	19.87
Men's B. C., April	5.00
May	6.50
June	7.50
Westminster (O)	26.80
Wildwood (W), 1st quarter	5.00
Winston-Salem 1st, May	28.43
Neal Anderson B. C., May	23.00
Yanceyville	4.09

Auxiliaries

Alamance Evening Circle	2.00
Circle No. 3	1.00
Circle No. 4	1.00
Circle No. 6	1.00
Albemarle 1st	4.00
Bethany (O)	1.00
Burlington 1st, Circles	36.00
Carthage, Circles	4.00
Centre (F)	.54
Charlotte 2nd	24.00
Cherryville	3.00
Covenant (KM), 1st quarter	3.00
Covenant (O), May	9.00
Durham 1st, B. W.'s C.	10.00
Eno	3.00
Fuller Memorial	.60
Gastonia 1st	13.00
Henderson, Budget	3.75
Circles for 1st quarter	9.00
Howard Memorial, Regular	9.00
Special	5.00
Huntersville	42.90
Immanuel, Budget	3.61
Special, 1st quarter	7.00
Jonesboro, Special	2.20
Lowell, 1st quarter	3.00
Mount Holly	6.30
Mulberry, B. Girls' Circle, 1st quarter	2.00
Nahalah	1.00
North Wilkesboro, Special	32.05
Olney, 1st quarter	15.00
Pink Hill-Smith's	6.00
Raeford	4.45
Raleigh 1st	7.50
Circles for May	16.00
Roanoke Rapids	5.00
Rocky Mount 1st, Special	11.00
A Friend	20.00
Rocky Mount 2nd	1.00
Rowland	2.83
Salisbury 1st	30.25
Shelby 1st	5.00
Thyatira	2.00
Troy, June and July	4.00
Westminster (M)	12.50
Westminster (O)	10.00
Williamston, 1st quarter	3.00
Winston-Salem 1st	14.00
TOTAL CHURCHES	**$2,462.73**